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CIRCULATION IN  
PADUCAH.

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## THE CZAR WILLING TO ABDICATE NOW

This is a Late Rumor--Russia  
Expects End of Absolutism.

No Fighting Reported Except a Few  
Brushes--Russia Denies She Blew  
Up Her Ships.

### ATTACK AT VLADIVOSTOK

Liverpool, May 12.—The Post as-  
serts that a report has reached London  
from high quarters in St. Petersburg  
that the czar is suffering from great  
mental depression and is desirous of  
abdication.

### GOING SOUTHEAST.

Shanghai, Kwan, May 12.—A rumor  
is current here that fighting is pro-  
ceeding southeast towards New  
Chwang.

### LOAN OVERSUBSCRIBED.

London, May 12.—Central News  
states that the Japanese loan has al-  
ready been oversubscribed. The banks  
handling it were crowded this morn-  
ing.

### NOT RESTORED.

London, May 12.—The Tokio cor-  
respondent of the Reuter Telegram Co.  
wires that it is officially denied there  
that the Port Arthur railway commu-  
nication has been restored.

### THE CZAR IMPATIENT.

St. Petersburg, May 12.—The tenth  
army corps will leave Kharoff May 23  
for the far east. The czar's anxiety  
to go to the front increases, although  
realizing that his presence here is  
necessary for state reasons.

SESTOBETZ TO BE FORTIFIED.  
Berlin, May 12.—A dispatch from  
St. Petersburg states that the town of  
Sestobetz on the Gulf of Finland, op-  
posite Kronstadt, will shortly be  
strongly fortified. One hundred and  
twenty guns will be mounted.

### DESTROYING PROPERTY.

St. Petersburg, May 12.—Vice-  
roy Alexieff telegraphs that prepara-  
tory to the evacuation of Port Dalny,  
all docks and other material that  
might be useful to the enemy is being  
blown up and destroyed.

### FEAR ANOTHER ATTACK.

St. Petersburg, May 12.—A tele-  
gram from Possiet Bay states that the  
squadron and garrison at Vladivostok  
fear another Japanese attack is about  
to be made and every effort is being  
put forth to guard the Port from an  
onslaught.

### NO MORE ABSOLUTEISM.

Vienna, May 12.—Russian advices  
state that the conviction is growing  
among the intellectual classes of Rus-  
sia that the country has had a suffi-  
ciency of absoluteism and that the  
eyes of the czar, it is asserted will  
soon be opened to this fact and his  
majesty be led, of his own initiative,  
to give the empire a constitution and  
call a parliament.

### PORT ARTHUR OUT OFF.

London, May 12.—A dispatch re-  
ceived by the Lloyds from a New  
Chwang correspondent states that  
Port Arthur is out off. The dispatch  
says: "Produce is arriving in great  
quantities from up the river. Japa-  
nese troops are marching from Feng  
Huang Cheng toward Hayen. Port  
Arthur is cut off. Perfect order pre-  
vails at New Chwang. Do not antici-  
pate trouble or fighting in this vicin-  
ity."

### THE BATTLE OF ANJU.

London, May 12.—Baron Hayash,  
Japanese minister at London, gives  
out the following account of the Rus-  
sian attack on Anju May 10: "Two  
hundred Russian cavalry attacked Anju  
for twenty-four hours. The Japanese  
stubbornly resisted the attack and one  
company of reinforcements arrived  
from Pin Yang. The enemy fled the  
morning of May 11, then further rein-  
forcements arrived from the north  
and south. The Japanese lost four  
killed and six wounded. The enemy's  
casualties were over fifty non-com-  
missioned officers taken prisoners. It  
is said the enemy numbered five

## MAN WAS KILLED IN SIGHT OF WIFE

Burglars Commit a Dastardly  
Crime in Missouri.

Actor James Gets Damage Against  
Hotel Company—Iroquois to  
be Opened.

### SIX KILLED IN MINE

Kansas City, Mo., May 12.—Clar-  
ence Meyer, a printer aged 23, was  
slashed to death with a razor in the  
presence of his wife, who was held by  
one of two negro burglars while the  
other killed her husband. She be-  
came unconscious and when she  
awoke the house had been ransacked.

### VERDICT FOR ACTOR.

Sherman, Tex., May 12.—Louis  
James, the well known actor, yester-  
day was awarded a verdict of \$10,000  
against the Oriental Hotel Company of  
Dallas, Texas, for libel. After James  
was at the hotel some time ago the  
hotel people sent him and his wife a  
telegram to "return the pillow  
slips."

### ONLY SIX KILLED.

Carbondale, Ill., May 12.—The ex-  
plosion in the mine at Herrin resulted  
in the death of only five. Six kegs of  
powder exploded by electricity being  
turned on at the wrong time, and be-  
fore the powder had been distributed  
to the men.

### WILL BE RE-OPENED.

Chicago, Ill., May 12.—The Iro-  
quois theater is to be remodeled and  
enlarged by the new owners, Hyde  
and Benman, of New York, and made  
into a modern theater.

hundred Cossacks.

### RUSSIA DENIES REPORT.

New York, May 12.—From Tokio  
came the information that Vice Ad-  
miral Togo having heard many mys-  
terious explosions in Port Arthur had  
reached the conclusion that possibly  
the Russians were destroying their  
warships to prevent their capture by  
the Japanese. Chefoo also heard a  
similar rumor, but both reports were  
vigorously denied in St. Petersburg,  
where it was officially stated that Rus-  
sia never would destroy her own  
ships. She would, it was added,  
allow them, if necessary, to put to  
sea and go to the bottom fighting.

Gen. Kuropatkin reported that a  
train load of war supplies had been  
successfully landed in Port Arthur  
from Liao Yang, great praise being  
accorded to the officer who had charge  
of the hazardous undertaking.

The Chinese question again assumed  
prominence, especially in regard to  
the situation at New Chwang. Count  
Cassini, the Russian ambassador at  
Washington, gave this view of the  
problem, declaring that Russia's re-  
trial from Manchuria is only tempo-  
rary.

Gen. Zassalitch reported that the  
Japanese army is concentrated in  
three groups around Feng Wang  
Cheng, while all other reports indicat-  
ed that the Russians expect a decisive  
battle at or near Lio Yang. Mean-  
time reports of fighting near that  
place remained unconfirmed, the prob-  
ability that only a brush with brig-  
ands has taken place.

## THREE CENT FARE

NEW MOVE STARTED BY LOUIS-  
VILLE GENERAL COUNCIL.

Louisville, May 12.—A movement  
to compel the street railway company  
to give three cent fares has been  
started in the general council.

## FLAMING BALLOON

FALLS IN PARIS AND INJURES  
MANY PEOPLE.

Paris, May 12.—Twenty persons  
were injured by the falling of a flam-  
ing balloon on the Avenue Dumesnil  
today.

## KILLED HIMSELF BY ACCIDENT

This is the Verdict in the Wentz  
Inquest.

General Managers Wallace Accepts  
New Place Because His  
Mother Advised It.

### GERMANY TO BUY SUBMARINE

Bristol, Va., May 12.—The jury  
that investigated the death of Million-  
aire Edward L. Wentz returned a  
verdict of death from the accidental  
discharge of his own pistol. The  
verdict was unexpected, as there was  
nothing to justify it. The right hand  
of the deceased has never been found.  
Neither was any pistol. The people  
are not satisfied, and the young man's  
relatives believe he was murdered. A  
detective will remain in the vicinity  
to investigate the case further.

### DID IT FOR HIS MOTHER.

Wocster, Ohio, May 12.—It is un-  
derstood that a woman is responsible  
for the acceptance of Mr. J. F. Wal-  
lace of the offer to become chief en-  
gineer of the Panama canal. The wo-  
man is his mother, Mrs. David Wal-  
lace, of this place, who is 72 years old.  
He consulted her about it and told  
her he left it to her whether or not to  
accept. She told him if the presi-  
dent asked him to accept it, it was  
his duty to go. He then wrote his  
acceptance.

—The Ramsey Society will give a  
cake sale at the Columbia Saturday.  
All who have promised cakes please  
send them to the Columbia early Sat-  
urday morning.

### GERMANY GETS BUSY.

Berlin, May 12.—It developed from  
a discussion on the floor of the reich-  
stag yesterday that Germany contem-  
plates the investment of considerable  
money in submarine boats. The high  
officials regard England's navy as  
getting too dangerous to Germany.

### AGAINST "RUSHING THE CAN."

Chicago, Ill., May 12.—The African  
Methodist Episcopal conference, ac-  
cording to the secretary, passed resolu-  
tions denouncing "rushing the can,"  
and prohibiting members of the  
church from indulging in it.

## HEALTH BOARD

Met This Afternoon and Elected  
Health Officer.

Also Elected Two Sanitary Inspectors  
for Paducah.

The Board of Health held the first  
meeting for many months this after-  
noon in the offices of President J. D.  
Robertson. Dr. W. T. Graves was  
elected health officer for another term  
to succeed himself, and the following  
were chosen sanitary inspectors: W.  
B. Padgett and I. N. Anderson. The  
latter was formerly one of the in-  
spectors.

## FOR PARKER

HEARST LOSES OUT IN THE IN-  
DIANA CONVENTION.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 12.—The  
Democratic state convention met to-  
day with the anti-Hearst force in com-  
plete control. The delegates to the  
national convention will be instructed  
for Parker.

## TAFT BETTER.

HE WILL GO TO THE ADIRON-  
DACKS TO REOUPEATE.

Washington, May 12.—Secretary of  
War Taft has practically recovered  
from his indisposition and will leave  
this afternoon for the Adirondacks for  
a two weeks rest.

## WEIGHING MAILS HAS NOW ENDED

Forty Eight Special Clerks Com-  
plete Their Work.

It is Expected That There Will Be a  
Big Increase in  
Volume.

### MILEAGE IS ABOUT 200,000

The regular quadrennial weighing  
of the United States mail on the rail-  
road lines in the second contract sec-  
tion ended at midnight Tuesday by di-  
rection of the Second Assistant Post-  
master General. This work has been  
in progress since February 17, a pe-  
riod of eighty-four days.

The section lies south of the Ohio  
and east of the Mississippi rivers, and  
includes Kentucky and Tennessee, all  
the Gulf states, the Carolinas, and  
Puerto Rico, a total of about 30,000  
miles of railroad. The Louisville dis-  
trict comprises about 3,000 miles of  
this, and is under the immediate su-  
pervision of Capt. H. B. Jenks, Chief  
Clerk of the Railway Mail Service in  
Louisville.

Forty-eight specially appointed  
clerks were detailed by Chief Clerk  
Jenks on the lines of the Louisville  
district, to travel and take the  
weights.

The weights are taken for the pur-  
pose of furnishing a basis by which  
the department determines the rate of  
pay due the railroad companies for the  
contract term of four years, com-  
mencing July 1, 1904. The present  
annual rate of pay for the section is  
about \$5,000,000. The total for rail-  
road transportation of United States  
mail annually throughout the country  
is nearly \$40,000,000. In 1883 it was  
a trifle over \$12,000,000, and in 1893  
slightly in excess of \$25,000,000. In  
1883 the total mileage of railroad was  
\$110,208. In 1893 it had risen to  
166,952. For 1903 it is stated as  
192,852, and today about 200,000  
miles.

## REPORT CONFIRMED

SEVENTEEN U. S. SOLDIERS AM-  
BUSHED AND KILLED.

Washington, May 12.—General  
Wade, commanding the army in the  
Philippines, in a cable to the war de-  
partment, confirms the killing of sev-  
enteen soldiers in an engagement in  
Mindanao.

He says that General Wood ordered  
the troops to proceed and recover the  
bodies and arms of the killed and  
wounded and punish the offenders.

## BEARS ATTACK

STEEL SHARES ASSAULTED  
AGAIN AT OPENING.

New York, May 12.—The bears re-  
newed the attack on United States  
steel shares at the opening of the stock  
market forcing preferred down a point  
and the common to the new low rec-  
ord. The general list is quiet and  
there is little change in the prices.

—The fakirs are beginning to ar-  
rive for the carnival, and to drop  
around in at the city hall to find out  
about their licenses.

## TODAY'S MARKETS.

(Furnished by Paducah Commission  
Co., 209 Broadway.)

WHEAT	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July	83 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Sept.	80 1/2	79	79 1/2
CORN	46 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
July	46 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Sept.	44 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
OATS	34 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
July	34 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Sept.	31 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
COTTON	13 45	13 17	13 17
July	13 45	13 17	13 17
Aug.	13 17	11 70	11 70
Sept.	11 70	11 35	11 35
Dec.	11 35	11 21	11 21
STOCKS			
I. C.	129 1/2		
L. & N.	40 1/2		
Mo. P.	29 1/2		
U. S.	98		
U. S. P.	52 1/2		

## WILL INVESTIGATE STREET MATERIAL

Mayor and Other City Officials  
Left for Nashville Today.

Board of Public Works Held an Im-  
portant Session Last  
Evening.

### MANY MATTERS CONSIDERED.

The board of public works last  
night held its regular meeting, and  
decided to make no further arrange-  
ments for the street reconstruction in  
Paducah until the board has investi-  
gated various material, especially the  
bitulithic material being used in  
Nashville. It was decided to at once  
visit Nashville, and the mayor, city  
engineer, board of public works,  
President Reed, of the aldermen, and  
President Hannan, of the council, and  
Chairman Singleton, of the alder-  
manic street committee, and Chair-  
man Smedley, of the councilmanic  
street committee, were delegated to  
make the trip.

This afternoon all except Mr. Smed-  
ley left via the N. C. and St. L. for  
Nashville, and will probably be ab-  
sent a day or two.

It was last night ordered that the  
street roller be given thorough repairs  
under the supervision of Mr. Harri-  
son, the man sent here by the factory  
to operate it. Mr. Harrison found the  
roller in bad shape from the repeated  
onslaughts of those who have run it  
during the past several years, when it  
was run at all, but it is still capable  
of good work. It was reported that he  
would recommend a lighter roller,  
claiming that the present roller is too  
heavy for these streets, but City En-  
gineer Washington stated that this  
was all foolishness and the city needs  
a heavier roller, if anything. A mem-  
ber of the board of public works said  
the same thing, and that further Mr.  
Harrison had not recommended a  
lighter roller.

There is at present no intention of  
extending the sewerage system on the  
south side. The city does not require  
people to use the sewerage it has in  
the heart of the city, where it is need-  
ed most, and the only question re-  
garding the extension on the south  
side was whether or not the paving of  
Third street would be subsequently  
impaired by the construction of sani-  
tary sewerage. It is now claimed that  
the sewerage mains will not have to  
be laid in the street when there is an  
extension in that section, hence there  
is no necessity for building the sew-  
erage before Third street is paved.

Alderman Lucien Durrett last night  
tendered his resignation to the board  
as engineer at the city electric plant,  
and Mr. Jules Friant was elected to  
fill the vacancy. Mr. Friant is an ex-  
perienced engineer, and has been a  
member of the police force for the  
past several years. He will resign as  
a police officer, and Mr. Gus Rogers,  
first extra, will succeed him and be  
appointed to a regular position on the  
force. The board of works expects an  
improvement at the plant now. A  
member stated this morning that Mr.  
Friant will be the first practical ma-  
chinist who ever worked at the light  
plant.

Last night the board of public  
works ordered the tag system enforced  
in the street department, and here-  
after every team hired or owned by  
the city will have on the harness so it  
cannot be removed, a large leather  
tag with metal number, and the let-  
ters "City S. D." meaning "city  
street department."

The board last night went over a  
large number of accounts and audited  
them. They now go over the daily re-  
ports of street foremen and are able to  
determine the exact amount of work  
being done, and what it costs the  
city.

The board ordered the city solicitor  
to employ additional counsel for the  
city in a number of questions involv-  
ing matters within the jurisdiction of  
the board.

## GRAVE CHARGES AGAINST MAYOR

South Fulton's Latest Sensation  
--- Trial May 17th.

State Bank Case to Be Heard June  
8th--The The Capitol Com-  
mission.

### OTHER KENTUCKY NEWS

Fulton, Ky., May 12.—Quite a sen-  
sation was created in South Fulton  
when Adrian McDade, former city  
treasurer, submitted a charge of mal-  
feasance in office against Mayor R. T.  
Milner and demanded a trial of the  
mayor by the council, says the Ful-  
ton Leader. The petition charges Mr.  
Milner with failure to submit a state-  
ment of the financial condition of the  
city every three months as prescribed  
by ordinance, also to report monthly  
through the Recorder the condition of  
his office, fines assessed and collected  
and uncollected. He also charges the  
mayor with causing to be arrested  
and tried before him, men who com-  
mitted crimes outside of the city  
limits, and unwarranted and unlaw-  
fully having same imprisoned and de-  
priving them of their rights, property  
and liberty.

The council appointed a committee  
to inspect the books. The trial of the  
mayor will be held before the council  
next Tuesday afternoon, May 17.

### BANK CASES ADVANCED.

Frankfort, Ky., May 12.—On mo-  
tion of acting Auditor's Agent Lucas  
in the court of appeals the case of the  
commonwealth vs. the bank of com-  
merce of Jefferson county, was  
advanced and set for hearing June 8.  
The case is a test case, involving tax  
on deposits in bank, and involves 300  
similar cases. The auditor's agent has  
lost in the lower courts.

### THE CAPITAL COMMISSION.

Frankfort, Ky., May 12.—At a  
meeting of the state capital commis-  
sion it was decided to meet each  
Tuesday and Friday to hear the  
recommendations of the several archi-  
tects applying for the position of  
architect of the new state capitol  
building. No architect will appear be-  
fore the commissioners on May 30,  
the day the selection will be made.

### NEW COMMERCIAL CLUB.

Fulton, Ky., May 12.—A com-  
mercial club has been organized with  
the following officers: President, W.  
J. Cox; secretary, U. S. Shacklett;  
treasurer, Charles E. Rice; board of  
directors, R. H. Wade, Jr., J. N.  
Hall, Joe Browder and W. W. Mead-  
ows and Dr. J. M. Alexander.

## BASEBALL RESULTS

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York 14, Cincinnati 10.  
St. Louis 3, Boston 2.  
Philadelphia 1, Chicago 0.  
Brooklyn 4, Pittsburg 2.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York 4, Cleveland 3.  
Washington 7, St. Louis 3.  
Philadelphia 6, Chicago 5.  
Boston 1, Detroit 0, fifteen innings.

### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Minneapolis 8, Indianapolis 3.  
Milwaukee 4, Columbus 14.  
Kansas City 3, Louisville 11.  
St. Paul 2, Toledo 5.

### SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Shreveport 5, Memphis 3.  
Atlanta 3, Birmingham 1.  
New Orleans 5, Little Rock 3.  
Nashville 17, Montgomery 3.

## USE CANNON

THIBETIANS AGAIN BOMBARD  
THE BRITISH CAMP.

London, May 12.—A dispatch from  
Gyang Ts Thibet today stated that  
the Thibetians have re-opened the  
bombardment of the British camp  
there. The Thibetians are using can-  
nons.



## CAMP FIRE IS OUT AND RED MEN LEAVE

The Great Council Was Highly Successful.

Work All Finished Late Yesterday Afternoon—Banquet Last Night.

VISITORS ARE DELIGHTED

The Great Council of Kentucky Red Men ended at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the business being finished sooner than expected. An effort to change the time of meeting from the second Tuesday in May until the second Tuesday in June was unsuccessful, but the meeting was the most delightful and one of the most profitable, ever held, according to all the delegates.

In the afternoon late the officers were installed, and Great Sachem Denhardt named the appointive officers as follows: H. J. Phillips, of Louisville, great sash; Lee W. Zwydoff, of Louisville, great mischewa; J. K. Moore, of Pittsburg, great guard of wigwam; J. Robin Garr, of Louisville, great guard of forest.

The committees for the ensuing year were named as follows, the number indicating the tribe.

Finance—H. J. Northart, 37; Henry Schivieten 8, J. H. Kemper 18.

Law and Usage—George Hinerly 8, John Riley 11, Gustave Ellercamp 8, J. W. Matthews 67, O. R. King 1.

Returns and Reports—T. J. Tierney 80, J. H. Adams 83, Hugh Johnson 81.

State Order—J. J. Freundlich 60, N. H. Northender 57, J. N. Clifford 10.

Appeals—C. H. Morris 33, C. P. Harding 5, John Hofenderfer 41.

There was no other business of public interest and the Great Council adjourned.

Last night at the Palmer house the big banquet was given the visitors and local Red Men and many toasts were enjoyed. Mr. Lawrence Leopold, of Louisville, was toastmaster, and made a fine one. There was good cheer on all sides, and the Paducah Red Men were as delighted with the visitors as the visitors seemed to be with Paducah. Most of them have returned to their respective homes.

## A GOOD RECORD

LICENSE INSPECTOR CLARK BRINGING MUCH MONEY INTO THE TREASURY.

License Inspector Ed Clark is preparing to secure warrants against all owners of wagons who have failed to pay license or to place on their vehicles the tags required by law after paying the license. No warrants have yet been sworn out by Inspector Clark against boarding house keepers, as they all pay the license when notified. A number of them did not know, apparently, that anyone keeping two or more boarders is required to play the license. Inspector Clark is making a fine record, and many hundred dollars have rolled into the treasury since he began work in the license department.

## THREE LEAVE

PADUCAH ENGINEERS TO ATTEND MEETING IN LOS ANGELES.

The following engineers from the Tennessee and Louisville divisions of the road have gone to Los Angeles, Cal., to attend the international biennial convention of the Brotherhood of locomotive engineers. Lee Eaker, Jess Pettingill and W. B. Curley.

### PAYS ALIMONY.

Knoxville, Tenn., May 12—Ex-Governor Bob Taylor paid into court \$5,500 and executed titles to his property in Memphis to his wife, who was recently granted a divorce from him. He is to pay Mrs. Taylor about \$12,000 alimony.

"Red Raven Splits"

—AT—  
SOULE'S DRUG STORE

## SOME POINTS ON THE WEATHER SIGNS

Government Officer Prepares Some Interesting History.

Scripture Quoted as Weather Signs—Cats are Good Prognosticators.

HOW TO PREDICT RAIN

For the first time the government has issued a weather bulletin that is interesting, and upon the most tire-some of subjects, the weather. It is issued by the department of agriculture and its author is Edward B. Garratt, professor of meteorology. It is made interesting by quotations from the Bible, Pliny, Indian legend and folklore.

The bulletin says the weather of the world is governed by different conditions, but in this country a steady south-to-east wind will bring rain in 36 hours.

To tell whether it is a rain cloud the professor quotes from Luke xii, 54: "When ye see a cloud rise out of the west, straightway ye say: There come that shower, and so it is." Birds fly high when the barometer is high and low when the barometer is low, hence the frequently misquoted prediction: "Everything is lovely and the goose hangs high." Before rain tobacco becomes moist, salt increases in weight, cordage tightens, flies sting, doors and windows become hard to shut, red hair curls, lamp wicks crackle, candles burn dim and soot falls down.

Cats are weather prophets. When a cat washes herself good weather can be expected, and bad when she licks her coat against the grain or washes herself over the ears or sits with her tail to the fire. "If the cock goes crowing to bed he'll certainly rise with a watery head," is another quotation. When fish bite readily and swim near the surface, rain may be expected with certainty. The bee is never caught in a shower, and the professor quotes:

"When bees to distance wing their flight  
Days are warm and skies are bright;  
But when their flight ends near at home  
Stormy weather is sure to come."

Plants, says this weather expert, are subject to weather conditions and are safe prophets. The odor of flowers is strongest before a shower, cottonwood and aspen trees turn up their leaves before rain and those of the sugar maple turn down. A Zuni proverb is: "When the sun sets unhappily then will the morning be angry with wind, storm and sand." If the sun before setting appears diffuse and of a brilliant white it foretells a storm, but if it sets in a sky slightly purple, the atmosphere near the zenith being a bright blue, we may rely on fair weather. This is real weather wisdom.

## NEARING AN END

STANDPIPE OF THE FILTRATION PLANT IS COMPLETE.

The new standpipe for the Paducah Water company has been completed at its plant on First street, and the remainder of the work on the filter will be pushed as rapidly as possible. The plant was to have been finished by May 15, but work was delayed by the accident to the sand dredger, and it will be July 1 before the filtration plant is complete.

The new standpipe had been under course of construction since January 10, and was built under the supervision of Mr. James Starr, of Louisville.

The new reservoir is 40 feet high, 70 feet in diameter, and holds 1,200,000 gallons of water, which is pumped direct into it and then run through the filter, being then pumped into the tall standpipe. Over \$50,000 has already been spent on the filter and the total cost will be between \$75,000 and \$100,000 when it is finished.

### SAM'S DATE CANCELLED.

It is announced in the Mayfield Messenger that efforts to arrange a new date with Rev. Sam P. Jones, for a lecture in Mayfield, which was postponed some time ago have failed, so he will not visit this part of Kentucky soon.

LAX-FOS For the Kidney's, Liver and Stomach.

## MANY ARE COMING TO THE BIG SHOW

Preparations About Complete for the Carnival.

Mr. J. Rogers Will Be Grand Marshal of the Big Parade—Children's Day.

THE ARCH IS COMPLETE

It is only a few days now until the carnival, and prospects are for the usual number of visitors and strangers during the week. Paducah will doubtless have one of the largest crowds in her history, and the carnival will be found to be one of the greatest ever given in the state.

The city council will hold no meeting next Monday evening on account of the opening of the carnival, all the city officials desiring to be in the big parade.

Mr. Joe Blum will this year have charge of the country store.

Mr. Gus Rogers has been appointed grand marshal in place of Mr. H. C. Rhodes, who is out of the city.

Saturday at 2 p. m. tickets will be distributed free to all school children at the court house, and the tickets will admit them Tuesday afternoon. The tickets will admit them to the grounds only, but they will be given a half rate for all attractions.

The matron and children of the Home of the Friendless will be admitted to everything free Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Roger Flint, general manager of construction of the Mundy company, is here and the grounds are already in excellent shape for everything when the carnival company arrives at 11 a. m. Sunday. The location and grounds are ideal, and it promises to be one of the best located carnivals Paducah ever had.

Mr. Blum, who is soliciting for the country store, is meeting liberal responses from all the merchants. There are to be three big prizes for the closing night, a \$75 brass bed, a fine trunk and a suit of clothes. In this drawing every number will have a chance, as they are to be placed on a revolving wheel and the number hit by a bullet fired by some disinterested person will win the prizes in succession.

A committee composed of Messrs. Weille and Davis has been appointed to call upon officers of the school board and have them dismiss school Tuesday afternoon in order that the children may attend the carnival.

The new gold front for the animal show will be used in Paducah for the first time. It was intended to use it in Nashville, but it did not arrive in time.

Mr. Charles Weille intends to ride with Mr. Mundy and the trained lion "Dewey" in his automobile at the head of the procession Monday night.

The arch will be complete and in place Saturday night, and is the finest ever secured by the Carnival Company.

Today or tomorrow three "rubes" will arrive to thoroughly advertise the carnival in the city. 20,000 heralds have been distributed up and down all the roads and the Ohio river, and the company has in addition spent more money than ever before for advertising.

### WED THIS EVENING.

Mrs. Neil Robins and Mr. Cuthbert Word will be married this evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Valeria Sandys, 926 Trimble street. Rev. W. H. Robinson, of the Second Baptist church will perform the ceremony.

The groom is connected with an insurance company of this city and the bride is an attractive young lady. The couple will reside at Mrs. Sandys'.

### WENT TO HENDERSON.

Manager James E. English, of the Kentucky theater, left last night for Henderson to look after work on his new theater there, and expects to return in a day or two. He has not yet been able to go to Shreveport, La., and push negotiations for erecting the proposed new theater there.

"Red Raven Splits"

—AT—  
SOULE'S DRUG STORE

## KENTUCKIANS FOR THE CHINESE ARMY

A Number to Hold Prominent Positions it is Reported.

Chinese Empire Had Men at Work Recruiting For Sometime Past.

3,500 AMERICANS SECURED

A number of gallant Kentuckians are to serve in the Chinese army, if reports from Louisville are true. It is said that China has for sometime been secretly selecting officers for palaces in the Chinese Reform army, and the best who have seen service in the United States army and state militia are desired. They will serve three years and get the same pay as officers in the United States army.

Says the Louisville Times: Those who have been slated for good positions in the Imperial army of China are as follows:

Capt. Clarence E. Grinstead a Captain of the Legion, will be a Colonel; Capt. George D. Lee will be made a Major; Capt. J. R. Clements, of O Company, artillery, will be made a Captain; Capt. Wallace Morris, of Company F, will be a Captain; Clarence B. Jeffries, Second Lieutenant of artillery; Charles C. McMahon, First Lieutenant of the Quartermaster's Department; Wolsey M. Cave, Second Lieutenant of Infantry; R. W. Richardson, Second Lieutenant of Infantry; James H. Conway, Captain of Infantry; Edmund T. Meriwether, Second Lieutenant of light Infantry; H. M. Lawson, Captain of artillery; Thomas W. Beard and David M. Baird will both be made Second Lieutenants.

The Dowager Empress of China came to the conclusion during the Boxer troubles that her army was not up to the standard of the other nations, and decided that the United States had the most efficient troops. A general reform of the Chinese army was decided upon, and Prince Lu Lum was sent to America, not only to represent his Government at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, but it is said to enlist enough officers to instruct the entire Chinese army. In all, 7,000 American officers will be required.

Headquarters of the Chinese Reform Army were established in Yankton, S. D., several months ago, and Edmund F. English, a Captain in the United States army, was given a commission as Brigadier General in the Chinese army and was placed in charge of the recruiting. A secret agency for securing enlistments, it is understood, was established in almost every state, and 3,500 have been secured throughout the country.

### FORMER KENTUCKIAN MARRIES

Mr. Will White, a former Fulton boy, now of Greenfield, Tenn., and a brother of Jim White, was married to Miss Katherine Lewis of Meridian, Miss.

LAX-FOS Cures Constipation and all stomach troubles by removing the cause. Price 50c S. H. WINSTEAD MED. CO. Paducah, Ky.



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In men's \$3.50 shoes we have the Douglas shoe, the most popular \$3.50 shoe on the market.

We have the Florsheim and Edwin Clapp at \$5.00 and \$6.00, as good shoes as possible to buy at the price.

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## HOTEL LAGOMARSINO

Ladies, if you become fatigued while shopping stop in at our Cafe. A nice place to find rest and light lunches. Everything in Season.

## THE COUNTING OF NOSES

Shows a large increase of our city's population. We have noticed the same thing in the sale of our

## DOROTHY DODD SHOES

For the ladies and the

## WALK-OVER SHOES

For the men.

Naturally the question arises, WHY this increase? We will not attempt to say, but refer you to your neighbor.



FOR SALE BY  
321 BROADWAY



## THE PENNANT RACE ON K. I. T. CIRCUIT

### Paducah and Clarksville Battled for Sixteen Innings.

Because a Player in Dispute Was Play-  
ed by Paducah. Game is  
Forfeited.

### CAIRO AND VINCENNES WIN

#### HOW THEY STAND.

Played	Won	Lost	Pct
Clarksville	1	1	0 1000
Vincennes	1	1	0 1000
Cairo	1	1	0 1000
Henderson	1	0	1 000
Hopkinsville	1	0	1 000
*Paducah	1	0	1 000

\*Protested.

#### OTHER K. I. T. RESULTS.

##### AT HENDERSON.

Henderson, May 11.—Vincennes won from Henderson by a score of 5 to 0. Vincennes 5 runs, 6 hits and 2 errors. Henderson 0 runs, 7 hits and 8 errors. The game was lost to Henderson by errors but there was good playing on both sides.

##### AT CAIRO.

Cairo, Ill., May 11.—Cairo beat Hopkinsville by a score of 6 to 2. Cairo 6 runs, 7 hits and 3 errors. Hopkinsville 2 runs, 1 hit and 6 errors. The Hopkinsville team was unable to hit. The game was fast.

#### TODAY'S SCHEDULE.

Clarksville at Paducah.  
Hopkinsville at Cairo.  
Vincennes at Henderson.

The Paducah K. I. T. league baseball team defeated the Clarksville league team in the initial pennant game of the season at Wallace park grounds yesterday afternoon by a score of 5 to 4, the game lasting two hours and forty minutes, through sixteen innings. Paducah had the game won several times but the Clarksville boys seemed to have their horse shoe with them and Frates, their pitcher, pulled himself out of several bad holes. The crowd was not large.

Feature playing was done by Payne, the deaf mute, short stop for Clarksville and by Long, Freeman and Land for Paducah. Freeman's pitching was faultless, he striking out 22 men and allowing but 13 hits in the 16 innings. Frates allowed 13 hits and walked two men. He was given better support than Freeman and lost his own game in the last of the sixteenth inning when Paducah had two men on the bases and a weak pop to the infield was knocked. Frates muffed the fly and the runners came in, winning the game.

The game started at 3:30 o'clock, Setley, of Henderson, umpiring. He announced the batteries and later announced that the game had been protested as Paducah was playing Long, who is in dispute by Henderson. President Thompson wrote Setley a letter instructing to declare the game forfeited, if Long was played and the manager of the Clarksville team immediately filed a protest when this was known. Long played the game through and did good work.

In the first inning goose eggs resulted for both teams but Clarksville in the second and third innings scored a run making them two runs to the good. Paducah failed to tally until the sixth inning when one run was made. In the seventh inning Clarksville made another score giving her two runs over Paducah but when the locals came to bat, they knocked out two more runs and tied the score. It remained there too, until the sixteenth inning when Clarksville made another score. Paducah in the last half of this inning scored twice.

Setley, the umpire, announced that he intended to umpire and asserted his authority on several occasions. Petit kept "jawing" at him until he put Petit on the bench. Petit, he thought said something, and he ran Petit, Harris and Myatt, the latter being pitchers on the bench, out of the park. They went willingly and seemed to enjoy the novelty.

The official summary is as follows:

Paducah	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Barlow, cf.	8	0	0	2	0	1
Meyers, lf.	7	2	4	0	1	0
Gilligan ss.	5	1	1	0	5	2
Violet, lb.	5	1	0	16	0	0
Brahio, rf.	4	1	1	0	0	3
Virgila, rf.	2	0	1	0	0	0
Potts, 2b.	6	0	0	8	8	2
Gerard, 3b.	7	0	2	0	1	0

Land, c.	7	0	3	27	1	0
Freeman, p.	6	0	1	0	3	1
Total.	57	5	13	48	19	9
Clarksville.						
Jefferies, lf.	8	1	2	3	0	0
Payne, ss.	8	1	2	4	6	0
Reiney, lb.	8	0	2	21	1	0
Petit c.	5	0	1	5	0	2
Pierce, c.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Lewis, 3b.	5	0	1	1	1	1
Hennessey, cf.	7	1	1	1	0	0
Weaver, 2b.	7	0	1	9	2	0
Weakly, rf.	7	0	2	1	2	0
Frakes, p.	7	1	1	2	1	2

Total.	64	4	13	47	13	5
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16						
Paducah—	0	0	0	1	2	0
Clarksville—	0	1	1	0	0	1
Earned runs, Paducah 3, Clarksville 1; three base hits, Jeffries 1, Reiney 1; double plays, Weaver unassisted; Gerard to Potts to Violet; left on bases, Paducah 14, Clarksville 13; passed balls, Land 1; hit by ball, by Frakes 5; wild pitches, Frakes 1; struck out, by Freeman 22; Frakes 8; bases on balls, off Freeman 1, off Frakes 2; time of game, 2:40; umpire, Setley; scorer, Rollston.						

#### NOTES.

The following is a copy of the letter sent Umpire Setley by President Thompson concerning Long and which was read before the crowd at Wallace park yesterday:

Henderson, Ky., May 10, 1904.  
Mr. William Setley, Umpire K. I. T. League:

You are hereby notified that Mr. Long, of Paducah, is claimed by Henderson, and Henderson has protested against his playing in the K. I. T. league until such contest is settled. You will forfeit all games to the opposing clubs in which Paducah club plays Long.

W. I. THOMPSON,  
President K. I. T. League.

Blunders are beginning early. Paducah won yesterday's game but may lose it because a player was allowed to play before the dispute as to who is entitled to him is settled. Henderson claims Long, and Long is here and claimed also by Paducah. Paducah has been playing him under an assumed name, which in itself shows that the management at least had doubts about the propriety of playing him. Henderson has protested yesterday's game, and the action in playing Long under a fictitious name will go a long way towards losing the case for the Indians. Too bad that such a brilliant victory as yesterday's should be marred or lost because of this kind of business.

There is a great deal of complaint because there are no accommodations at the league park for ladies. The new grand stand could have been built long ago if there were any desire to build it at once. Few ladies attend the games, and fewer still will probably attend hereafter unless there is a grand stand. No announcement has yet been made regarding ladies day, although other league clubs have. Probably when some one explains what ladies' day is, due announcement will be made.

The local fans who have been annoyed and disgusted in the past with the unnecessary "chewing the rag" of ball players will hail with delight the firm stand taken by Umpire Setley. It is to be hoped that all the umpires are just like him, for there is no necessity for wrangling. It delays the game and displeases the spectators. A player who can't hold his tongue ought to be put out of the game, and out of the park if that doesn't quiet him, and Umpire Setley is the boy who will do it.

Local fans claim that Paducah can file a counter protest because the rules read that each team shall have ten men in uniform on the grounds and when three of Clarksville's players were ejected from the grounds for unbecoming conduct, it left but nine men to play the game.

The batteries for today are Brahio and Land for Paducah, Weakley and Petit for Clarksville. Setley will umpire and announces that he will umpire the game according to rules as he did yesterday.

Warner has been signed by Hopkinsville to play the field. He was Henderson's crack catcher last season and one of the best in the league.

Harry Johnson, of Columbia, and Gaston, the crack fielder-pitcher with Jackson last season, will join Clarksville Sunday.

S. Anderson will join Clarksville today to play third base.

He was with them last season.

Dr. Phil Stewart returned today from Louisville.

## PLEASED TO DO IT.

### PADUCAH CITIZENS GLADLY SPEAK ON THIS SUBJECT.

A public statement.  
Given to the public for the public good.

A citizen's experience.  
Truthfully told for humanity's sake.  
Should find ready appreciation.  
Paducah people are pleased to do it!

Pleased to tell their friends and neighbors.  
Tell them about the "little conquerer."

The good deeds of Doan's Kidney Pills  
Are spreading o'er the city.  
Lifting burdens from aching backs,  
Curing the pains of kidney ills.  
Read the proof in a Paducah man's words.

J. W. Hart, of 233 Jefferson street, proprietor of a boarding house near Central Park, says: "I had attacks of kidney complaint for four or five years and every time I caught cold it settled in the loins and I suffered severely. When the spells were at their worst I could hardly stoop or bend. If I did stoop I was compelled to regain an erect position very very slowly. On such occasions trouble with the kidney secretions existed and when last annoyed I noticed Doan's Kidney Pills advertisement at Du Bois & Co.'s drug store and guaranteed to cure just such symptoms of kidney complaint mentioned above. Getting them and using them as directed the result of the treatment was decidedly satisfactory."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

#### A CREDITABLE EXHIBIT.

Mr. W. B. Kennedy has returned from St. Louis, where he went on business connected with the Kentucky tobacco exhibit. He states that the exhibit is very fine, and a credit to the state. It attracts much attention from visitors.

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Irish, tuck and brass bottom trimmed, full sleeve.....\$2.00  
Irish, tuck front and cuff, extra quality.....\$3.00  
Irish, box plaited with double cuff, fine.....\$3.50  
Irish, hand drawn work.....\$5.00

LAWN—  
Large tuck, plain tailored waist, good quality.....\$1.00  
Embroidered or lace, with fagotting trim.....\$1.50 to 2.00  
Better grades.....\$3.50

SILK—  
Beautiful quality plain China Silk.....\$3.00  
Extra quality lace trimmed and tucked.....\$3.50 to 5.00

#### SKIRTS

Blue and black polka dot duck skirts, 9 gore, cut with deep flounce.....\$1.95  
Black duck and pique skirts.....\$2.00 to 3.50  
White and brown linen skirts.....\$1.95 to \$7.00  
Shirt waist suits from.....\$3.95 to 7.50  
Including mercerized, gingham, sateen, linen, lawn and pongee.



## KING COLLAR BUTTON SALE ALL THE WEEK

## Queen Quality Low Shoes

Spring has again ushered in the low shoe. It has arrived with a swing and we are here with it. The new Oxford ties are an ideal summer shoe.

It's comfortable and sensible. All sizes and widths.

Low shoes at \$2.50 to \$3.00

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Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of April, 1904, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 22, 1908,  
May 3, 1904.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Congress.

Hon. J. C. Speight, of Graves  
County.

## DAILY THOUGHT.

Good and bad fortune are necessary  
to a man, in order to make him adroit  
and capable.—French Proverb.

## THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Friday.

The Courier-Journal has published  
a strong defense of Grover Cleveland's  
bond issues. This may not help  
Grover, but it proves that "wonders  
never cease."

A Russian general announces that  
he will use different methods of war-  
fare from those heretofore used. The  
czar probably wishes the Japanese  
would do likewise.

A Fulton paper offers \$5 to the per-  
son writing the best article on "Why  
Fulton Is an Ideal Location for Fac-  
tories." Good fiction ought to be  
worth more than that.

Some of the Democrats in Kentucky  
are shouting in ill-concealed alarm.  
"Peace, peace, let us have peace,"  
and yet they are usually the very ones  
who have always been looking for  
trouble—until they find more than  
they bargained for.

The Tennessee press association has  
served notice that this year all dead-  
heads and outsiders will be barred  
from taking the trip with the asso-  
ciation. If all press associations were  
to do this there would be a percepti-  
ble decrease in the attendance.

A Colorado judge testily declares  
that civil law is always above mili-  
tary law in this country, but the gov-  
ernor of Colorado evidently disagrees  
with him. At any rate the judge's  
opinion doesn't seem to hold good in  
some parts of Colorado just now  
where martial law is in force.

Judge Allie Young, chairman of  
the Democratic executive committee,  
denies that he intends to appoint 250  
sergeants-at-arms for the state con-  
vention. Perhaps he has found out  
that it will do no good to try to "do"  
the Louisville machine. There are  
enough policemen and firemen alone  
there to put out Chairman Young and  
all his bailiffs if the occasion—and  
the machine—demands it.

Since Saturday over \$300 has been  
sent to the Louisville Herald to be  
used in assisting Jim Howard to get  
his case into a court where perjury,  
politics and prejudice do not have a  
more powerful effect than facts and  
justice. This indicates that there are  
a good many people in Kentucky who  
do not approve of the methods used to

# Tutt's Pills

will save the dyspeptic from many  
days of misery, and enable him to eat  
whatever he wishes. They prevent

**SICK HEADACHE,**  
cause the food to assimilate and nour-  
ish the body, give keen appetite,

**DEVELOP FLESH**  
and solid muscle. Elegantly sugar  
coated.

**Take No Substitute.**

secure the conviction of the alleged  
Goebel conspirators.

Slowly but surely preparations are  
being made to build the Panama  
canal. The United States flag floats  
over the canal zone, and there it will  
stay. It will be several years until  
the canal is finished, but when it is  
it will be a boon to the commercial  
world as long as there is one. The  
opposition to the canal has been some-  
what harassing, but the demand for  
it was too great, and the determina-  
tion to build it too strong, to result  
in defeat.

Judge Sanders has rendered another  
good decision in the license cases. He  
holds that a man who uses a vehicle to  
further his financial interests, whether  
it be by hiring it or by saving money  
by using it in his business is re-  
quired to pay a license. The city col-  
lects about \$5,000 a year on vehicles,  
and if a contractor can run wagons to  
assist him in his business without pay-  
ing the license, so can the butcher,  
the baker and all the others. If they  
all did, the city would be \$5,000 a  
year poorer, and \$5,000 counts for  
quite a bit when \$4,000 court judg-  
ments begin to pile up.

The appointment of Mr. J. F. Wal-  
lace to the most important position in  
the construction of the Panama canal  
is a deserved recognition of ability,  
experience and integrity, and one  
which will doubtless be a constant  
source of congratulation and gratifi-  
cation to the country. Mr. Wallace's  
retirement from the great and grow-  
ing Illinois Central will pave the  
way for the promotion of another pop-  
ular and able railroad man, Mr. W.  
J. Harahan, who has many friends in  
Paducah as well as in every other city  
where he is known. Mr. Harahan's  
rise in the railroad world has been  
rapid, but he has earned it by his ex-  
ceptional ability and indefatigable  
work, and will as soon as the con-  
templated changes are made find him-  
self in one of the most important  
positions on one of the greatest rail-  
road systems in the world—that of  
general manager of the Illinois Cen-  
tral.

"The city of New Orleans has been  
carefully inquiring into the subject of  
municipal lighting for a year, the  
present mayor, Mr. Capdeville, hav-  
ing been elected on a platform favor-  
ing municipal ownership. After a  
most thorough inquiry the city coun-  
cil has abandoned the idea of setting  
up a plant of its own, and has award-  
ed a contract to the New Orleans Rail-  
ways company, the present contract-  
ors, for a term of ten years. The  
Boston Transcript published a careful  
comparison by Mr. Hayes Robbins, of  
the street railway systems of Glasgow  
and Boston, with the result that he  
finds the privately owned service in  
Boston superior to and cheaper than  
the publicly owned system in Glas-  
gow. This is the verdict which gener-  
ally results from an inquiry into the  
much advertised municipal social-  
ism of the European cities."—Hart-  
ford Times.

The Courier-Journal adds: Muni-  
cipal ownership, however, will always  
be popular among the politicians. The  
demand for it is a good demagogical  
card to conjure with, and the practi-  
cal realization of it would be "nuts"  
for the election winners.

## TOBACCO SALES

ABOUT TWO HUNDRED OFFERED  
IN TWO DAYS.

Tobacco sales have been resumed  
regularly in Paducah, and both yes-  
terday and today there were public  
sales, the offerings being about 225 on  
both days together. The sales proba-  
bly amounted to 45 sales today and  
half as many yesterday. The prices  
were satisfactory, the market being  
low.

HAS STOOD THE TEST 25 YEARS  
GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. The  
first and original tasteless chill tonic 50 cents

## OUR FLAVORING EXTRACTS

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Rough on the Others.



Percy—Ya-as, y'know, I judge others  
by myself, doncherknow.  
Miss Sweetlove—Really; but isn't  
that rather a low standard of judg-  
ment?

As Good as New.



The Lawyer—Can't we prove an  
alibi?

The Crook—Let's see, boss. I've got  
a alibi—bought and paid for—dat I  
didn't use last time I was pinched.  
Will dat do?—New York Evening Jour-  
nal.

An Irritating Retort.



"Can you tell a dog that's mad?"  
"Tell him what?"

Advice.



—New York Evening Journal.

And He Was Assisted.



Gentleman With the Revolver—Would  
you, sir, be so kind as to assist a poor  
man? Besides this revolver I have  
nothing in this wide world.

The Idea!



"See here, ain't it time for you to be  
gittin' home?"  
"Home! Home! Shert'nly not. I  
still got a dollar and twenty shents."—  
Chicago American.

## LANG BROS' UNUSUAL OFFER

"It isn't often that we have faith  
enough in the medicine put up by  
other people to be willing to offer to  
refund the money if it does not cure,"  
said Lang Bros. to a Sun man who  
dropped into their store, "but we are  
glad to sell Dr. Howard's specific for  
the cure of constipation and dyspepsia  
on that basis.

"The Dr. Howard company, in  
order to get a quick introductory sale,  
authorizes us to sell their regular fifty  
cent bottles at half price, 25 cen's,  
and, although we have sold a lot of it,  
and have guaranteed every package,  
not one has been brought back as un-  
satisfactory.

"One great advantage of this spe-  
cific," he continued, "is its small  
dose and convenient form. There  
are sixty doses in a vial that can be  
carried in the vest pocket or purse,  
and every one has more medicinal  
power than a big pill or tablet or a  
tumbler of mineral water.

We are still selling the specific at  
half price, although we cannot tell  
how long we shall be able to do so,  
and anyone who is subject to consti-  
pation, sick headache, dizziness, liver  
trouble, indigestion, or a general  
played out condition, ought to take  
advantage of this chance. You can  
tell your readers that if they are not  
satisfied with the specific they can  
come right back to our store and we  
will cheerfully refund their money."

## THIRTEEN GRADUATE

METROPOLIS HIGH SCHOOL COM-  
MENCEMENT ON MAY 31.

The closing exercises of the Metrop-  
olis high school will be held at the  
music hall Tuesday, May 31.

A class of thirteen young ladies  
and three young gentlemen, are to be  
graduated. The following are its  
members: Misses Clara Kimball, vale-  
dictorian; Bessie Stewart, saluta-  
torian; Bertha Baccus, Alice Em-  
erson, Violet Furrell, Cora Meyer, Mary  
Goldberg, Vesta Shoemaker, Pearl  
Reed and Hattie Speckman. Messrs.  
Ed Brown, Lester Craig and Arthur  
Moreland.

## ASCENSION DAY

COMMEMORATED TODAY AT ST.  
FRANCIS DE SALES CHURCH.

Ascension day is being commemo-  
rated at St. Francis de Sales Catholic  
church today. Mass was solemnized  
at 7 and 9 o'clock this morning and  
there will be vespers at 7:30 o'clock  
this evening. Throngs of worship-  
pers attended the morning services  
and especially the one at 9 o'clock.

The day is observed in memory of  
Christ's ascension into heaven after  
his crucifixion.

## GROWING ACHES AND PAINS.

Mrs. Josie Sumner, Bremond,  
Texas, writes, April 15, 1902: "I  
have used Ballard's Snow Liniment  
in my family for three years. I would  
not be without it in the house.  
I have used it on my little girl for  
growing pains and aches in her knees.  
It cured her right away. I have also  
used it for frost bitten feet, with good  
success. It is the best liniment I  
ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1.. Sold by  
Du Bois, Kolb & Co., Paducah, Ky.

## FOR BAPTIST CONVENTION.

Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Perryman of  
the First Baptist church, Rev. and  
Mrs. W. H. Robinson, of the Second  
Baptist church, Mr. and Mrs. W. E.  
Covington, Mr. R. L. Eley, Misses  
Courtie Puryear, Nellie Gardner and  
Mattie Beard left this morning for  
Nashville, to attend the Southern  
convention.



Guaranteed to be  
Fast Colors.

## The... Racket Store

...The Gordon Dye  
Hosiery is one of the  
most popular brands of  
hose made. The dye is  
right, the quality is  
right and the prices  
are right. We have  
them in ladies', men's  
and children's black  
and fancy colors—all  
prices.

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PADUCAH, KENTUCKY

Capital and Surplus \$326,000.00

Geo. C. Thompson, Pres.  
T. J. Atkins, Vice Pres.  
Ed. L. Atkins, Cashier  
Husbands, Asst. Cash.

Accounts of individuals, firms and cor-  
porations are respectfully invited.

This bank is centrally located, completely equipped and will re-  
ceive new business on most favorable terms.

Have some choice offices to rent Lighted, heated and all sani-  
tary improvements.

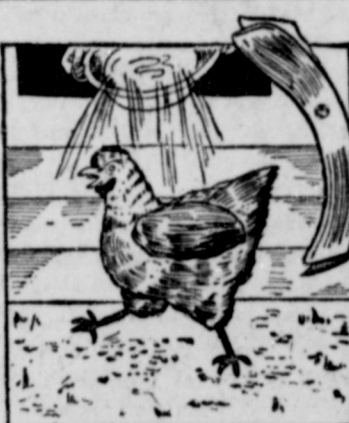
## Fan Notice

The fan season begins May 1. Let us have your  
fans in time to clean them up and have them running  
by that time.

## FOREMAN BROS. NOVELTY CO.

INCORPORATED  
122-124 Broadway

## "As mad as a wet hen"



Is every man's allowance when his laun-  
dry work doesn't please him. The same  
work doesn't please everybody—all of us  
have whims of our own. Doesn't matter—  
we won't quarrel. We will please you.  
Let us humor your whims, but please give  
us an inkling of the little things you like  
attended to.

## Star Laundry

Both Phones 200. 120 N. 4th St.

## Paducah Transfer Co.

Incorporated

Light and Heavy Hauling

Phones 11

P. D. Fitzpatrick, Supt.

## "Do You Value Your Eyesight?"

## HEADACHE?

Medicine will not cure headache caused by eye strain.  
I have relieved hundreds of sufferers from headaches  
by glasses fitted by my fogging system.

EXAMINATION FREE.

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Optical Parlors

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Opposite American-German National Bank  
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IT IS A MATTER OF HEALTH

#### LOCAL LINES.

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.  
—Mr. Charles Jennings and family have moved to their country home in Arcadia.  
—Clean out those mean black roaches by using our roach poison, Kamleiter.  
—Mr. Walter Clark, the drummer, is suffering from a painful abscess on his right hand.  
—The Elks, and Mangum Lodge of Odd Fellows hold their regular meetings this evening.  
—Brick are now being laid on South Third street and the street may be finished by Monday.  
—Our roach poison insures death. Yes, exterminates 'em or your money back if it doesn't. Kamleiter's.  
—Remember the Carnival decorations, red and white and you can get them from R. D. Clements & Co.  
—Mr. J. C. Symmes, purchasing agent for the Cumberland Telephone Co., is in the city today on business.  
—Mr. T. W. Baird, who has been at Dawson assisting in getting the New Century in shape, will return Saturday.  
—Do you fish? If so go and see the excellent line of tackle at Scott Hardware Co.'s, Inc., 422-424 Broadway.  
—Palmer Transfer Co. can furnish you with up-to-date, first class living rigs, spirited horses for fancy driving. Gentle horses for ladies.  
—You will find a complete line of coolers and refrigerators at Scott Hardware Co., Inc., 422-424 Broadway.  
—Attorney Egester, the colored man who graduated yesterday at Louisville, will come to Paducah to practice law, it is understood.  
—The Ladies' Mite society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Harry Lukens, West Madison street, near 11th.

Sexton Sign Works makes a specialty of carriage painting, the work being done by first class workmen only. Both phones, 401, Sixteenth and Madison.

—The wrecker was called out this morning to Dawson to clear some trucks off the track. The trucks were

## Fine Writing Papers.

Our line includes Bonds, Parchments, Linens, Organdies and Flax—all shades, all shapes, all grades from 10c to \$1.00

### Scotch Raglan

a heavy unfinished bond paper with raw edges, is our leader. We sell it for 50c.

*R. W. Walker & Co.*  
INCORPORATED

DRUGGISTS Fifth and Broadway

#### Theatrical Notes.

"Pawn Ticket 210" was enjoyed by another large audience at the Kentucky theater last night. The Ethel Tucker company makes new friends every night. The biggest crowd of the season will be this evening when the benefit of Treasurer Tommie Roberts takes place.  
—The Chorus Class of the First Cumberland Presbyterian church, will meet in the lecture room of the church on Friday and the choir will meet with them for rehearsal. Prof. M. D. Potter is preparing for a grand concert, to be given after the carnival.  
—M. V. Cherry's grocery wagon was turned over near Sixth and Madison streets late yesterday by the horse becoming frightened at a street car, and the driver, Mr. John Dulaney, had a close call, but escaped with a painfully skinned and bruised wrist.  
—Ben Murray, a five year old boy, and grandson of Mr. Paddy Miles, was run over by Rodfus' Grocery wagon at Third and Jackson streets yesterday afternoon, but escaped with severe bruises. Dr. D. T. Stuart attended him.  
—Mr. James Crow has returned from Hopkinsville last night where he took Lucy Carson, colored, the lunatic who was confined in jail here several weeks on account of the crowded condition of the asylum. The doctors say the negro will be cured in a few months, they think.

### BRUCE IN TOWN.

HE HAD HIS USUAL FIGHT WITH THE COPS THIS AFTERNOON.

Bruce Gillam, of the county, came to town bright and early this morning and the city hall officials after seeing him pass in his buggy began to prepare a place for him. Shortly after noon he became ripe and started his usual bombardment of profanity near Third and Broadway and was arrested. He resisted and fought Officer Wm. Johnson and was clubbed over the head in the usual way. Three other officers assisted and he was finally put under the clock. A great many people saw the blood and thought a murder had been committed. They don't know Bruce. It was only the usual discipline necessary in his case and he will be all right again tomorrow.

### A GOOD TIME

EVERYTHING FIXED IN GREAT SHAPE FOR VETERANS.

Hon. Charles Reed, who is a lieutenant colonel on General Young's staff of the Confederate Veteran's association, today received a letter from his general stating that everything was in readiness at Nashville, and that the veterans who attend will certainly enjoy themselves. Quarters, horses, and everything else have been provided by General Young for his men, and Lieutenant Colonel Reed expects to have a pleasant reunion.

Miss Myrtle Hawkins, who has been ill for the past week, is better, her many friends will be pleased to learn.

#### Social Notes and About People.

##### DR. JENKINS COMING.

Dr. Burris A. Jenkins, president of Kentucky University of Lexington, who will lecture here next Monday evening at the First Christian church, on "Parsifal," for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A., has just finished a successful series of meetings at Frankfort. He will go to Franklin, Ind., to fill an appointment before coming here.

He will be the guest while in the city of the Misses Morton on Broadway.

##### WEDDING OF INTEREST HERE.

Announcement of the marriage of Miss Blanche Roberts, of Sebree, Ky., who is well known in this city, and Mr. John Ivick, of Muncie, Ind., has been received here. The wedding took place May 1 at Sebree.

The bride is an unusually pretty and attractive young lady. She visited Miss Hettie Willett here a year ago and made many friends in Paducah. The couple will reside at Muncie.

##### D. A. R. MEETING.

The Paducah Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution is meeting this afternoon with Mrs. O. H. Chamblin on South Tenth street.

Mr. Hunter Hough is here from Charleston, Mo.

Mr. Will H. Rieke has gone to St. Louis on business.

Attorney Sam Crossland, of Mayfield, is in the city.

Miss Clara Belle Rieke has gone to Dubuque, Iowa, to visit.

Mr. Lincum Orme returned from the south today at noon.

Mr. Robert Mochelle went to Madisonville today on business.

Mr. Robert Reeves went to Louisville today at noon on business.

Mrs. Hughes McKnight has gone to Smithland for a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Mary Troxell, of Eddyville, is visiting her niece, Mrs. James Caldwell.

Mr. Charles Trueheart returned to Louisville today after a business trip to the city.

Miss Helen Bearman, of Lexington, Ky., will arrive next week to visit Miss Martha Davis.

Mr. H. O. Rhodes left this morning for New York to be absent ten days on a business trip.

Mr. J. M. Taylor, of Chicago, general storekeeper for the I. O., is in the city today on business.

Mrs. Fred Nagel and Mrs. Wm. Nagel left yesterday for a visit to relatives in New Albany, Ind.

Engineer Frank Harris returned yesterday to Little Rock, Ark., after visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Harris, of South Fifth street.

Mrs. Will Wright and child will return tomorrow from visiting in Poplar Bluff, Mo., and will be accompanied by Miss Marie Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hawkins have returned from St. Louis. Mrs. Hawkins has been for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Weightman Smith, in California.

Miss Lizette McGuire, of Baltimore, who has been visiting in Memphis, arrived at noon to visit her cousins, the Misses Settle, of Fifth and Madison streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles James, of Evansville, Ind., arrived this morning, to visit Mrs. James' parents, Judge and Mrs. D. L. Sanders. Mrs. James has been accompanying Mr. James on his regular trip, including Western Kentucky, and they have been the recipients of much social attention.

### NO EVIDENCE

AND THE ALLEGED LYNCHER WAS RELEASED AT CAIRO.

Cairo, Ill., May 12.—Napoleon Hickson, who was charged with participating in the lynching at Thebes, Ill., a year ago, has been released from jail. There was no evidence against him this time, and at a former trial there was a hung jury.

##### REVIVAL AT MISSION.

The revival at the Union Rescue Mission continues every night at 7:30. Also street meetings every morning on Market street at 8:30. In the evening on Broadway between Second and Third at 7 o'clock. Rev. J. M. Turney, of Chicago, the converted drummer, is doing the preaching. Prayer meeting and Bible study at the Mission Hall, 431 South Third street, Friday at 3 p. m. Everybody made welcome at these meetings. R. W. Chiles, pastor.

#### It Will Not Be



For Red Men to find their favorite cigars—Sachem and Pocahontas, They are on sale at

**McPherson's**  
Drug Store

#### TIPS.

NO ADVERTISEMENTS will be accepted for this column unless the money accompanies the order. This rule applies to every one, with no exceptions.

FOR SALE—Cheap, two invalid chairs at 904 South Fourth.

WANTED.—Three good ironers for ladies' clothes. Apply Novelty Steam Laundry.

WANTED.—Two or three horse power electric motor. Address E. care The Sun.

FOR RENT.—Two apartments Sans Souci Flats. Apply W. E. Cochran, 405 Broadway.

WANTED.—Three good ironers for ladies' clothes. Apply New City Steam Laundry.

WANTED.—Two furnished rooms for light house keeping. Close in. Address A. care Sun.

FOR RENT.—Good brick store room with residence attached. Inquire of George Rock.

FOR SALE.—Gas range and bed room suit. Apply J. J. Gentry, corner Tenth and Trimble.

Whittemore Real Estate Free Price List. Insurance. Notary Public. Fraternity Buildings. 'Phones 835.

FOR RENT.—One two room house on Fifth street, between Norton and Husbands streets. Apply Fred Kamleiter.

MUSIC PUPILS WANTED.—By Miss Anna E. Nicholson, 108½ South Third street. Studio up stairs Old phone 1569.

—Ladies' attention. I want you to try dry cleaning process, the best method yet for cleaning clothes. H. M. Dalton, 208 Broadway.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Nice mare. Stylish driver. Work anywhere. City broke. 14½ hands high. Chesterfield. 501 South Ninth street.

FINE PASTURE.  
Fine pasture for stock, at my place on the Benton road, a mile south of the city.  
GIP HUSBANDS.

STORAGE WAREHOUSE.—Storage space to let. Negotiable certificates issued and a general storage business transacted. Bransford Clarke & Co., First and Washington.

##### WITH THE SICK.

Mr. A. Grace is again quite ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Leonard Jones.

Mrs. Susanna B. Sauner is able to be out after a severe illness from la grippe.

##### GAVE BOND TODAY.

Ad Jones, colored, held over several days ago for shooting Lee Crawford, colored, in sudden heat and passion, today executed a \$300 bond and was released from jail. He was arrested by Officer Hurley near Mayfield, Graves county. For several days it was thought Crawford would die.

##### CUT FLOWERS.

Choice cut roses at \$1 per dozen. Choice cut carnations at 50c per dozen.

BRUNSON'S FLOWER STORE, 423 Broadway.

MUCH WHEAT THREATENED.  
Winnipeg, May 12.—A fire in Fort Williams' elevator threatens its entire destruction. It contains nine million bushels of wheat.

##### BIRTHS.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. Sidney Smith, of West Broadway, a son.

# HART SELLS HOSE

That Won't Kink  
CONSEQUENTLY

Will not split or crack and squirt water on your biled shirt and patent leathers.

Price OK

GEO. O. HART SONS & CO.

TO KEEP A BEAUTIFUL COMPLEXION USE  
**NADINE FACE POWDER**  
THE POWDER THAT WON'T FALL OFF  
SUPERIOR QUALITY  
EXQUISITELY PERFUMED



It softens, whitens and beautifies. Contains no lead or other ingredient injurious to the skin; but is so compounded that it remains on the face until washed off. The lady who uses Nadine Face Powder may be assured that her complexion will be fresh and lovely at the close of the evening. More in quantity and quality than any face powder on the market. Copyrighted in gold embossed green boxes. White, Flesh and Brunette.  
Money refunded if not as represented. Price 50 cents by druggists or mail.

NATIONAL OILET CO., Paris, Tern.  
Sold in Paducah by all leading dealers. DuBois, Kolb & Co. wholesale distributors.

#### Master in Chancery's Sale.

State of Illinois, ss  
Massac County, ss  
In the Circuit Court,  
To the April Term, A. D., 1904.  
John Hurst and Robert Hurst  
Joseph Woodward and Maggie Woodward  
Bill in Chancery to Foreclose Mortgage

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree entered on April 24th, A. D., 1904, by the said court in the above titled cause, J. W. H. Armstrong, Master in Chancery in Massac county, Illinois, will at the hour of one o'clock, p. m., on Monday, May 16th, A. D., 1904, at the south door of Quantie's Flouring Mill, on the Ohio river, in the city of Metropolis, Massac county, Illinois, sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder the steamer called "Cora Belle" and all ropes and other attachments thereto belonging.  
Terms of sale, cash in hand.  
Dated at Metropolis, this May 9th, A. D., 1904.  
W. H. ARMSTRONG,  
Master in Chancery of Massac County, Illinois.

##### NOTICE.

Fishing at Wallace park lake is positively forbidden. All persons caught will be prosecuted.

##### PADUCAH CITY RY.

—Officers Tom Murray and Dick Tolbert left last night for Norfolk, Va., with Heath and Smith, the deserters from the Yankee. Special Agent Dineen, of the I. O., accompanied the officers part of the way.

##### WILLIAMS BICYCLE CO.

Everything for bicycles at low prices. Fifth and Jefferson streets, north of postoffice.

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Management JAS. E. ENGLISH

### SECOND BIG WEEK

MISS  
**ETHEL TUCKER**

AND HER OWN

STOCK COMPANY

Change of Play Nightly

TONIGHT

Are You An Odd Fellow?

All Comedy.



### TO HEADQUARTERS

To our Cafe, gentlemen, where everything served is absolutely right. We pride ourselves that we can suit each particular requirement when it comes to mixing them up nicely. While for a raught Wines, Liquors, Lagers and Ales there's none better set out in the city.

**W. C. Gray**

107 S. Fourth St.

### Count the Cost

What do you gain by having a prescription poorly compounded from stale, worthless drugs, even though it costs a few cents less?

Prescriptions leaving our Prescription Department give results.

That's what you pay for. You can't afford to pay less than we charge.

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Are strictly pure. Try them.  
PRICE 10c PER BOTTLE  
**DUBOIS KOLB & CO.**



## Settlement of Three Year 24 Coupon Bond in The Southern Mutual Investment Company

Of Lexington, Ky.  
No. of bond 64, Holder, R. D. Clements, Paducah, Ky., Trustee.  
Original installments \$30.00.

Amount invested on 16 redeemed coupons..... \$ 328.75  
Amount received for 16 redeemed coupons..... 416.12  
Profit..... \$ 87.37  
Amount invested on 8 unredeemed coupons..... \$1,510.00  
CASH VALUE OF 8 UNREDEEMED COUPONS..... 1,766.70

Profit..... \$ 256.70  
Total investment..... \$1,838.75  
Total cash return..... 2,178.82

Total profit in 150 weeks..... 344.07  
Percentage of profit on investment..... 18.2-3 per cent  
Percentage of profit per annum..... 14.2-3 per cent  
I hereby acknowledge receipt of check for \$1,766.70, being payment in full for the above THREE YEAR BOND.

(Signed) R. D. CLEMENTS, Trustee.  
**Exhibit of Growth**  
The following figures give the amount paid investors and held for their benefit by the Southern Mutual Investment Company, from April, 1894, to March, 1904.

April, 1894  
\$15,144.82  
June, 1895  
\$28,184.47  
June, 1896  
\$60,192.19  
June, 1897  
\$103,188.29  
June, 1898  
\$158,667.65  
June, 1899  
\$245,893.09  
June, 1900  
\$381,597.75  
June, 1901  
\$910,443.66  
June, 1902  
\$1,576,603.09  
June, 1903  
\$2,061,028.85  
March, 1904  
**\$2,394,048.55**

If you want a safe and profitable investment by saving from \$2.50 and up per week or month call and investigate.

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Room 109 Fraternity Building

## Hayes' Beechwood Emulso-Hypo With Iron Makes Fat, Strength, Blood, Bone and Muscle.

If you are tired, broken down, despondent, worn out, pale, losing flesh, have no energy, do not feel like rising in the morning for the day's work, you need a bottle of this wonderful medicine. Do you want good rich red blood? Do you want the bloom to come back to the cheek? Are you convalescing after having fever, pneumonia or measles? Then you ought to take a bottle of EMULSO-HYPO. Its medicinal food that reaches every tissue in the body and builds you up. Taken in a little wine its as pleasant as cough syrup.

Read what the editor of the Meridian Star of Mississippi, A. G. Davis, writes under date of April 8:

"My mother took the Emulso-Hypo and has been greatly benefited. She is in better health than she has been in years."

J. W. Russell, county clerk of Hickman county, Tenn., writes:

"My wife has used several bottles of Emulso Hypo with Iron and has been wonderfully improved. I can conscientiously recommend it for all lung trouble."

Rev. G. T. Sullivan, presiding elder of the Memphis district, writes under date of Dec. 1, 1903:

"My daughter, whose system was very much run down, has been taking your Beechwood Emulso-Hypo with Iron, and has improved so much with one bottle I have no doubt by continuance she will be fully restored in her nerve forces. I am delighted with the results and shall continue her on it. Wishing you prosperity, I am, yours truly,  
G. T. SULLIVAN.

**Shoffner-Hayes Medicine Company**

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**Paducah, Kentucky**

Sold by all Druggists.

## Photos of the Little Folks Increase in Value as the Child Grows Older

What would you give for a portrait of yourself when a child? Did you ever think your little boys and girls will think the same when they grow old? Childhood is short. It's your duty to have their pictures made now. We are adapted to make good pictures of little tots.

**THE McFADDEN STUDIO**

## James Caldwell Fraternity Building

## FIRE INSURANCE

Representing the Strongest Line of  
Fire Insurance Companies.

## GENERAL BLACKSMITHING AND REPAIRING.

**FIRST-CLASS HORSE-SHOING**  
Best quality of rubber tires. High grade spring wagons. Will sell spring wagons on installment payments.

No. 319 Court St. J. V. GREIF, Manager.

## Written at Random.

The cool weather of the past few days is known as "snowball winter," and later on we may expect "black-berry winter," which is due in about thirty days. "Snowball winter" did not derive its name from snowballs proper nor from the chilly atmosphere which made thin clothes feel like a St. Louis man's reception this summer of his poor kin. It got its name from the fact that there is usually cool weather when the guilder-rose, or snowball, blooms. They are in bloom now, and if tradition is followed this year, the cold snap will not last long.

Paducah has three William Bakers, but today has four Frank Wagners. All the Bakers live here, but only one of the Wagners resides here. The other three are attending the Red Men's council, and one is from Louisville, one from Petersburg and the other from Owensboro. They learned yesterday afternoon that there was another Frank Wagner in the city, and left en masse for his place of business, where the simple ceremony of saying "Mr. Wagner, allow me to introduce you to Mr. Wagner," took place. As none knew which particular one was meant, they all felt sufficiently introduced and spent a pleasant hour together. Another funny coincidence is that each one of them keeps a saloon.

Sir Henry M. Stanley, the noted explorer, was at one time a resident of St. Louis. Just following the civil war he worked there as a newspaper reporter on the old St. Louis Democrat before its consolidation with the Globe. Stanley's St. Louis career was brief. After a few months' connection with the staff of the Democrat, he was sent to join the expedition of Gen. Winfield S. Hancock against the Indians in western Kansas and Nebraska as a correspondent. He was recalled by his chief because his articles were objectionable to Gen. Hancock.

With no pretensions to the fame which afterwards became his, Stanley showed, at that time, the love of adventure, the roving disposition and the trait of fearlessness in his make-up, which enabled him afterwards to achieve success as an explorer.

A Louisville judge possesses a cutting repartee which ought to win him undying fame. Every judge of any experience knows how hard it is to get desirable men to serve on juries. They usually come up and beg to be excused because their business interests demand all their time, according to their view of it. Judge Muir, of Louisville, however, has made it a rule to excuse no one except for the most urgent reasons. The other day he found confronting him with expectancy and a contrite heart, his milkman.

"If you don't let me off, Judge, it will ruin me," he declared.

"I cannot accommodate you," replied the judge. "There are only 23 jurors present, and as we need another I'll not only have to hold you but get one more."

"This is ruinous for me, judge; don't you think you can reconsider and let me off?"

The judge replied most positively that he could not.

"All right, then," responded the milkman, laughing. "If you don't let me off I'll put something in your milk."

"You might put a little milk in it," replied the court.

The Rose Cecilia Shay Opera company seems to have demonstrated the fact that high class opera does not pay when taken on the road. Since the company was in Paducah several months ago it has had a rough time of it. Matters came to a climax Sunday in St. Louis when the company disbanded.

Many members of the chorus are still in St. Louis and they say they will be unable to leave until they are paid a part of the wages which they claim are due them.

The company has had a stormy time since its engagement at Winnipeg, Manitoba, on February 10, some of the members claiming that they have received only a part of their salaries since that time. Several of the singers claim that the company's travels since its departure from that city have been marked by unpaid hotel bills.

A number of the chorus girls have secured engagements with the summer gardens, but a majority have been unable to secure positions, and are said to be in destitute circumstances. According to a story told by James McIntyre, a large majority of the men and women have no money, and he as-

serts that they cannot hope to receive much from the management of the stranded company.

Thomas F. Shay, father of the prima donna, is in St. Louis in an effort to arrange matters with the troupe, but it is said that dissatisfaction exists with his offers of compromise. The baggage of the company has been attached by the Odeon management to recover on the guarantee of \$4,000 for the house for two weeks. It is said that the amount owed the singers varies from a few dollars to \$100 each.

Many of the habits of Police Court seem astonished when they hear Judge Sanders telling from the bench of things he did in his court forty years ago. He does not look like an old man, in the first place, and forty years is a mighty long time to hold court, in the second.

The Judge was telling yesterday how things used to be. "I held court here forty years ago," he said. "The barracks were here and there were soldiers here two or three years after the war. They used to get in trouble and be brought before me, and I fined them just as if they were common, everyday folks, and I never had any trouble. They were put out to work on the streets, uniform and all, and sometimes they would get away and their superior officers upon request, would bring them back to us. This, of course, was in cases of flagrant violations of the law. In some cases, where there were mitigating circumstances, the fines of the soldiers were paid by the officers. But I have seen many a soldier working a fine out on the streets, and the records are right here now, if there is any one who wants to see them."

Judge Sanders then told how in many respects the judicial department of Paducah had more advantages in those days than now. In those days there was a clerk who issued all the warrants, and all the judge had to do was to come down and hold court in the morning, render judgments, and leave. Now he has to issue warrants and all. There is no clerk, and the salary is just the same today that it was forty years ago.

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## NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River 22.9 on the gauge, a fall of 1.5 in the last 24 hours. Weather clear and warm. Winds south east with 44 temperature.

SAUNDERS A. FOWLER,  
Local Observer.

The Rees Lee is due up Sunday.

The Peters Lee is due down Sunday.

The Hopkins is today's Evansville packet.

The Dick Fowler cleared for Cairo today on time.

The Tennessee is due tomorrow from Tennessee river.

The Pavana got in yesterday from Cumberland river.

The Battorf got away to Nashville yesterday on time.

The Charles Turner has gone to Joppa after barges.

The Clyde got out on time last night for Tennessee river.

The Royal arrived and departed on time today for Golconda.

The Summers got in yesterday afternoon from Tennessee river.

The Savannah will leave St. Louis Sunday with an excursion.

The Margaret and Russell Lord are due from Tennessee river tomorrow.

The Memphis passed out of Tennessee river for St. Louis yesterday afternoon late.

The Knoxall left this morning for Tennessee river for timber for the Lack Singletree Co.

The Maude L. Hennen, of the upper Ohio, a brand new boat, passed down this morning en route south.

Capt. Clarence Carter, of the towboat Fulton, has been arrested at Louisville for violation of the canal regulations. It is charged that on March 18 he navigated the canal from Fourteenth street down with tow boats and barges without the necessary written permit, and on April 11 carried three barges abreast down the canal instead of two abreast, as is the regulation. The penalty for this offense is a fine not to exceed \$500 or imprisonment not longer than six months.

Capt. Kath has arrived at Mt. Carmel, on the Wabash, with a ten horse power gasoline decked boat and a fifty foot barge, and will at once, with a fleet of from fifteen to twenty mussel boats, commence shell digging on an extensive scale near Shiloh church, in the Peankishaw Bend vicinity. Capt. Kath is offering superior inducements to shell diggers and will put a large number of men to work. He ships his shells direct to Europe. Shell diggers and buyers are flocking to the Wabash, and it is a modest estimate to say that at least 1,000 are now engaged in the business.

## COLORED LAWYERS.

### ONE PADUCAHAN AMONG THE GRADUATES

The fourteenth annual commencement of the Central Law School, a colored institution, was held at Louisville, and the main feature of the evening was the graduation of Mrs. Sallie J. S. White, as an LL. B. Mrs. White is a colored woman. She is 35 years old, and has had some experience in newspaper work and wrote the drama, "A Triple Mystery." She is the first colored woman to enter the field of law in Kentucky. The other graduates were O. T. Frye, who delivered an oration on "Law and Human Progress," and J. W. Egester, of Paducah, whose address was on "Marriage and Divorce."

One of the events of the evening was an address by Judge N. R. Peckinpah, assistant city attorney.

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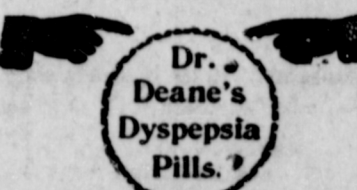
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### CHAPTER XII.

WHEN Francis Jeffrey's hand fell from his forehead and he turned to face the assembled people an instinctive compassion arose in every breast at sight of his face, which, if not open in its expression, was at least surcharged with the deepest misery.

I pass over the preliminary examination of this important witness and proceed at once to the point when the coroner, holding out the two or three lines of writing which Mr. Jeffrey had declared to have been left him by his wife, asked:

"Are these words in your wife's handwriting?"

Mr. Jeffrey replied hastily and with just a glance at the paper offered him:

"They are."

The coroner pressed the slip upon him.

"Look at them carefully," he urged.

"The handwriting shows hurry and in places is scarcely legible. Are you ready to swear that these words were written by your wife and by no other?"

Mr. Jeffrey, with just a slight contraction of his brow expressive of annoyance, did as he was bid. He scanned, or appeared to scan, the small scrap of paper which he now took into his own hand.

"It is my wife's writing," he impatiently declared; "written, as all can see, under great agitation of mind, but hers without any doubt."

"Will you read aloud these words for our benefit?" asked the coroner.

The lines he was thus called upon to read may bear repetition:

I find that I do not love you as I thought. I cannot live knowing this to be so. Pray God you may forgive me!

VERONICA.

As the last word fell with a little tremble from Mr. Jeffrey's lips the coroner repeated:

"You still think these words were addressed to you by your wife; that in short they contain an explanation of her death?"

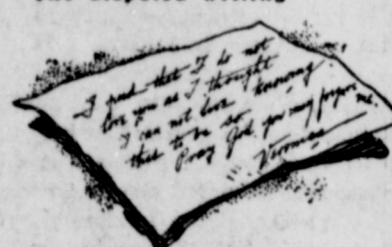
"I do."

There was sharpness in the tone. Mr. Jeffrey was feeling the prick. There was agitation in it, too; an agitation he was trying hard to keep down.

"You have reason, then," persisted the coroner, "for accepting this peculiar explanation of your wife's death, a death which, in the judgment of most people, was of a nature to call for the strongest provocation possible?"

"My wife was not herself. My wife was in an overstrained and suffering condition. For one so nervously overwrought many allowances must be made. She may have been conscious of not responding fully to my affection. That this feeling was strong enough to induce her to take her life is a source of unspeakable grief to me, but one for which you must find explanation, as I have so often said,

### The disputed writing



in the terrors caused by the dread event at the Moore house, which recalled old tragedies and emphasized a most unhappy family tradition."

The coroner paused a moment to let these words sink into the ears of the jury, then plunged immediately into what might be called the offensive part of his examination.

"Why, if your wife's death caused you such intense grief, did you appear so relieved at receiving this by no means consoling explanation?"

At an implication so unmistakably suggestive of suspicion Mr. Jeffrey showed fire for the first time.

"Whose word have you for that? A servant's, so newly come into my house that her very features are still strange to me. You must acknowledge that a person of such marked inexperience can hardly be thought to know me or to interpret rightly the feelings of my heart by any passing look she may have surprised upon my face."

This attitude of defiance so suddenly assumed had an effect he little realized. Miss Tuttle stirred for the first time behind her veil, and Uncle David, from looking bored, became suddenly quite attentive. These two but mirrored the feelings of the general crowd, and mine especially.

"We do not depend on her judgment alone," the coroner now remarked. "The change in you was apparent to many others. This we can prove to the jury if they require it."

But, no man lifting a voice from that gravely attentive body, the coroner proceeded to inquire if Mr. Jeffrey felt like volunteering any explanations on this head. Receiving no answer from him either, he dropped the suggestive line of inquiry and took up the consideration of facts. The first question he now put was:

"Where did you find the slip of paper containing these last words from your wife?"

"In a book I picked out of the bookshelf in our room upstairs. When Loretta gave me my wife's message I knew that I should find some word from her in the novel we had just been reading. As we had been interested in but one book since our marriage, there was no possibility of my making any mistake as to which one she referred."

"Will you give us the name of this novel?"

"Compensation."

"And you found this book called 'Compensation' in your room upstairs?"

"Yes."

"On the bookshelf?"

"Yes."

"Where does this bookshelf stand?"

Mr. Jeffrey looked up as much as to say, "Why so many small questions about so simple a matter?" but answered frankly enough:

"At the right of the door leading into the bedroom."

"And at right angles to the door leading into the hall?"

"Yes."

"Very good. Now may I ask you to describe the cover of this book?"

"The cover? I never noticed the cover. Why do you—Excuse me, I



suppose you have your reasons for asking even these puerile and seemingly unnecessary questions. The cover is a queer one, I believe, partly red and partly green, and that is all I know about it."

"Is this the book?"

Mr. Jeffrey glanced at the volume the coroner held up before him.

"I believe so; it looks like it."

The book had a flaming cover, quite unmistakable in its character.

"The title shows it to be the same," remarked the coroner. "Is this the only book with a cover of this kind in the house?"

"The only one, I should say."

The coroner laid down the book.

"Enough of this, then, for the present; only let the jury remember that the cover of this book is peculiar and that it was kept on a shelf at the right of the opening leading into the adjoining bedroom. And now, Mr. Jeffrey, we must ask you to look at these rings, or, rather, at this one. You have seen it before. It is the one you placed on Mrs. Jeffrey's hand when you were married to her a little over a fortnight ago. You recognize it?"

"I do."

"Do you also recognize this small mark of blood on it as having been here when it was shown to you by the detective on your return from seeing her dead body at the Moore house?"

"I do; yes."

"How do you account for that spot and the slight injury made to her finger? Should you not say that the ring had been dragged from her hand?"

"I should."

"By whom was it dragged? By you?"

"No, sir."

"By herself, then?"

"It would seem so."

"Much passion must have been in that act. Do you think that any ordinary quarrel between husband and wife would account for the display of such fury? Are we not right in supposing a deeper cause for the disturbance between you than the slight one you offer in way of explanation?"

An inaudible answer; then a sudden straightening of Francis Jeffrey's fine figure. And that was all.

"Mr. Jeffrey, in the talk you had with your wife on Tuesday morning was Miss Tuttle's name introduced?"

"It was mentioned; yes, sir."

"With recrimination or any display of passion on the part of your wife?"

"You would not believe me if I said no," was the unexpected rejoinder.

The coroner, taken aback by this direct attack from one who had hitherto borne all his innuendoes with apparent patience, lost countenance for a moment, but, remembering that in his official capacity he was more than a match for the elegant gentleman, who under other circumstances would have found it only too easy to put him to the blush, he observed with dignity:

"Mr. Jeffrey, you are on oath. We certainly have no reason for not believing you."

Mr. Jeffrey bowed. He was probably sorry for his momentary loss of self control, and gravely, but with eyes bent downward, answered with the abrupt phrase:

"Well, then, I will say no."

The coroner shifted his ground.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)



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The board will probably let the contract for the improvements to the hospital grounds authorized at the last meeting held several months ago. The grounds are to be improved by walks and flower gardens and in addition the bath room department will be improved by tiling floors.

The reports will be audited and it will be found that the hospital is in the very best condition possible. The patients have been more numerous this season past than heretofore and the reports will show that up-to-date, the number of patients will exceed the number admitted up until May 1903, by about one hundred.

It is probable no very important business will come before the board other than mentioned above.

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On account of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church at Los Angeles, Cal., commencing May 3, 1904, and the National Association of Retail Grocers of the United States at San Francisco commencing May 3, 1904, the Illinois Central Railroad Co. will sell tickets to either San Francisco or Los Angeles, from April 22 to May 1, inclusive for \$49.65 for the round trip from Paducah, limited to return until June 30, 1904.

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MR. C. E. HOLLAND IN CHARGE  
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Mr. C. E. Holland, formerly an operator in the local I. C. trainmaster's office here, left at noon for Dawson to act as agent for the I. C., temporarily.

Agent Gooch, of Dawson, went to Clanton several days ago and was exposed to small pox. On his return to Dawson the residents refused to permit him to return to work and he will be kept in quarantine for about fifteen days. Mr. Holland will act in his place until he is permitted to return to work.

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### LEFT FOR SHILOH.

Major Reid and wife, of Chicago, arrived last evening and left on the Clyde for Shiloh. Major Reid is historian for the Shiloh National Park commission and is to prepare for the dedication of Illinois monuments next week at Shiloh. The distinguished delegation of Illinois people who are going to the dedication will pass through Paducah the latter part of the week or "Sunday" on the City of Memphis and City of Savannah.

Mr. Henry Rehkopf, of Memphis, arrived this morning for a visit.

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## NEW ASSISTANT

MR. A. A. BROWN TO BE PLACED IN THE TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

It is understood that Mr. A. A. Brown is to be appointed assistant superintendent of telegraphy on the Southern divisions of the I. C. Mr. Brown is a Pittsburg man and is now going over the road with Mr. G. H. Groce, superintendent of telegraphy on the I. C. He will succeed Assistant Superintendent Weeks, now stationed at Memphis.

## REV. RAMSEY ILL

News has reached the city that Rev. E. B. Ramsey, formerly pastor of the Broadway Methodist church, of this city, is very sick from pneumonia at his home in Memphis. The attack was very severe from the first and for a time his life was despaired of. He is still in a very critical state.

Rev. Mr. Ramsey is very popular in Paducah and his friends here will be grieved to learn of his illness.

## THE TEMPLE CASE GIVEN TO JURY

Was on Trial Less Than Two Days.

East Tennessee Company Wins Suit — Minor Circuit Court Notes.

POLICE AND OTHER COURTS

A verdict for the defendant was returned this morning on peremptory instructions from the court in the case of J. M. Luttrell against the East Tennessee Telephone company. Luttrell sued the company for \$518.40 on some poles. The evidence showed that the company bought the poles from another man and paid him for them. The other man, it seems, bought them from Luttrell, and Luttrell made the mistake of suing the company instead of the man to whom he furnished them. The company had no contract with Luttrell, and all the poles that Luttrell furnished the company were furnished through another man, whom the company paid for them. The court held that Luttrell should have sued the man he furnished the poles to, and not the telephone company, with whom he had no contract.

In the case of Donalley Carney, against El Guthrie, a motion with reasons for a new trial, was filed.

The case of Tony Holland against Chris Coleman was continued.

The case of J. O. Nessen against H. A. Rose was continued.

Ida Mat Browning was granted a divorce from her husband Solie G. Browning.

The case of George Johnson against the Paducah Laundry Co., was set for trial for the 33d day. It is a damage suit, Johnson having walked into a vat of boiling water one night, the top having been left off.

The case of Mrs. Nettie Smallman against Henry Temple, for \$15,000 damages for the death of her husband, was given to the jury yesterday afternoon. The jury reported again this morning and was sent to its room with indications of disagreement.

### POLICE COURT.

The principal cases on the police court docket this morning were against J. R. Cosby, carpenter on the Joe Fowler, and D. W. Barnes, another carpenter who has been working for the packet company. The former is charged with a breach of the peace and Barnes with malicious cutting. The two men, it is claimed, have not been on good terms, and a quarrel arose yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock on the wharf over some work and Barnes cut Cosby under the arm, and was knocked down by Cosby, who seized a club. Neither was able to attend court today and the cases were continued until Monday.

Jim Craven and W. Taylor, colored, were fined \$20 and costs each for gaming.

A breach of the peace case against Finis Campbell and Henry Barber, colored, was continued.

W. J. Williams was fined \$1 and costs for being drunk.

A breach of the peace case against Frank Beechbaugh and Louis Vaughan was continued.

### LICENSED TO MARRY.

Outhbert M. Word, of the city, age 29 and Nellie Lee Robbins, of the city, age 29, have been licensed to wed. It will make the first marriage of the groom and the second of the bride.

### SUIT FOR STOCK.

Mrs. Sudie Sullivan has filed suit against C. E. Gridley and the Driskill Post-Hole Augur Co., and others today to recover ten shares of stock and \$154 in money.

## FINGERS HURT

SOUTH SIDE EMPLOYEES MEET WITH PAINFUL INJURIES.

Albert Davis, an employee of the Paducah Cooperage Co., got his hand caught in a saw this morning and a finger taken off. Dr. J. S. Troutman dressed the injury.

Jim McBride, an employee of the basket factory, got a finger badly out this morning in a machine at the factory. Dr. J. S. Troutman dressed the injury.

### New York Theatres.

Thirteen new theatres, to cost \$3,000,000 are being built in New York city.

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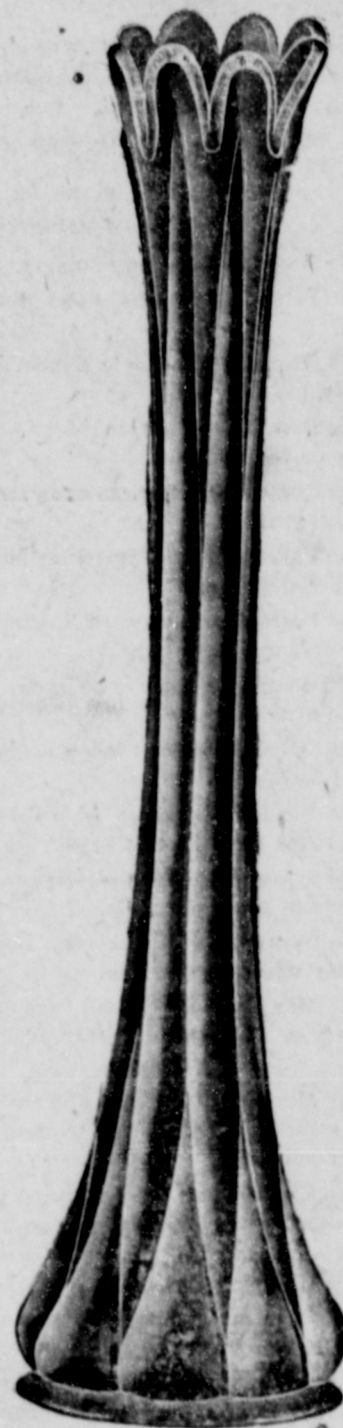
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## MUCH SOUGHT AFTER

Judge Lightfoot Besieged by Would-be Game Wardens.

Health Officer Graves Annoyed by Applicants for Sanitary Inspector.

Two men in Paducah are very much besieged by office seekers. They are County Judge R. T. Lightfoot and Health Officer W. T. Graves. The former is expected to shortly appoint two game wardens, under a recently enacted state law, and the latter is supposed to appoint two city sanitary inspectors. In both cases there are many applicants and the two officers are continually in "hot water", figuratively speaking.

County Judge Lightfoot stated this morning that he had been bothered both personally and officially by applicants telephoning him for positions as game wardens, and was not ready to appoint yet. He can appoint two wardens when he sees fit, many county judges having already appointed wardens for their county, but Judge Lightfoot will investigate the necessity of making such appointments. If the county needs none to protect the game, then he will appoint, otherwise not.

Health Officer Graves informed a reporter this morning when asked for his appointments, that the reporters were worse than the applicants themselves. He has about one hundred men to pick from and seems to be in no particular hurry to appoint although the city is badly in need of sanitary inspectors.

### EXPOSURE.

To cold draughts of air, to keen and cutting winds, sudden changes of temperature, scanty clothing, undue exposure of the throat and neck after public speaking and singing, bring on coughs and colds. Ballard's Horehound Syrup is the best cure. Mrs. A. Barr, Houston, Texas, writes, Jan. 31, 1902: "One bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup cured me of a very bad cough. It is very pleasant to take." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Du Bois, Kolb & Co., Paducah, Ky.

### Y. M. C. A. LADIES TO MEET.

The woman's committee of the Y. M. C. A. will meet at the association building tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock to make final arrangements for the lecture of Dr. Barris A. Jenkins.

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## TELEPHONE GROWTH.

The Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Company has issued statement of its business for the month of April, and the growth in the number of subscribers is shown as follows:

Number of subscribers April 1, 1904 .....	108,445
Number added during month .....	3,792
Number discontinued during month .....	2,585
NET INCREASE for month .....	1,207
Total number of subscribers April 10, 1904 .....	109,652

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